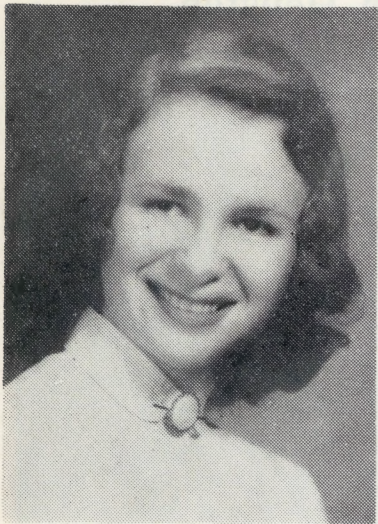


Two More Music Recitals Highlight Festive Events of Last Semester



Suzanne Jackson



Elizabeth Robards

Suzanne Jackson, mezzo soprano, and Elizabeth Robards, pianist, will present a joint recital at 3:30 p.m. this Sunday, May 15, in the Junior College auditorium.

Suzanne has chosen the following selections for her program: "Du bist die Ruh" by Schubert; "Der Nussbaum" by Schumann; "Die Forelle" by Schubert; "Zueignung" by Strauss; "Velvet Shoes" by Thompson; "The House That Jack Built" by Homer; "Vespers" by Fraser-Simson; and "Life" by Curran.

Elizabeth's program consists of "Prelude and Fugue in C Minor" by Bach; "Sonata in C Minor, Molto Allegro, Adagio, Assai Allegro" by Mozart; "Capriccio in B Minor" by Beohms; "Polonaise Opus 40, No. 1" by Chopin; "Waltz in A Flat;" "Beai Dance" by Bartok; "Proeludium" by MacDowell; and "The Harmonica Player" by Guion.

Suzanne, who is a sophomore

at Joplin Junior College, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Jackson of Webb City. Elizabeth, who is a freshman, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Robards of Joplin.

The Joplin Junior College Music Department presented a general student recital last Sunday, May 8 in the auditorium. Soloists included Fred Land, tenor, Sue Cookerly, mezzo-soprano, Harold Manker, bass, and Elese Fraizer, pianist.

Students participating in group numbers were Ruth McKenney, Pat Alexander, Toby Jean Baker, Barbara Juhnke, Suzanne Jackson, Eleanor Damer, Sue Cookerly, Rose Gallemore, Pat Holland, Leroy Chapman, Louis Cowan, John Tyler, Don Henson, Ron Richardson, Fred Land, J.T. Goodman, Robert Bacon, Keith Sovereign, Harold Manker, Leroy Ruede, Carl Taylor and Elizabeth Robards, accompanist.

Two Instructors On State C.T.A. Board for 1955

Miss Ada Coffey was elected president of the MSTA Department of Classroom teachers at a meeting held April 23 in Columbia. The J.J.C. English teacher, who previously served as vice-president of the organization, has announced her appointment of Miss Vera Steininger, another local faculty member, to serve as corresponding secretary of the state group.

Miss Coffey says that her duties as president will consist of organizing the planning of the next four meetings of the MSTA Classroom teachers and of serving on the Missouri Council of Citizens and Educators committee at the Missouri State Whitehouse Conference on Education in June at Jefferson City.

Miss Coffey plans to attend the Teachers Education and Professional Standards Conference in DeKalb, Illinois, previous to the National Education Association in Chicago, where she will serve as a consultant in a group meeting on the program of the language arts.

Play Postponed!

Dr. B. G. Skillman has announced the postponement of the College Players' production of "The Glass Menagerie," which was to have been presented May 12-13. No definite date has been set.

Four-Year Colleges Offer Scholarships To J.J.C. Graduates

Several scholarships are offered by surrounding colleges to Joplin Junior graduates. The Board of Curators of the University of Missouri will award forty Missouri Junior College scholarships annually to junior college graduates. The scholarships will be awarded on the basis of scholastic achievement, financial need, and good character.

Each scholarship which is available for use at Missouri University or Rolla will pay a sum equivalent to the current library, hospital, and incidental fees for two semesters. At present the value is \$135.00.

Southwest Missouri State College at Springfield will award an academic scholarship to one of the upper five members of the graduating class. The scholarship which covers tuition and student activity fees is usable for any three of the four college terms immediately following the student's graduation.

Twenty scholarships for women graduates of municipal colleges in this area are offered by Lindenwood College. The value of the scholarships is \$1,000 to be applied on tuition at Lindenwood during the junior and senior years, \$500 for each year.



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Rees Hughes, K.S.T.C. Head, to Address Approximately 100 Graduates June 6

About 100 sophomores of the Class of 1955 are expected to receive diplomas at 8 o'clock Monday night, June 6 in the auditorium. Dr. Rees H. Hughes, president of Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg, will be the principal speaker for Joplin Junior College Commencement ceremonies.

Born in Fort Scott, Kansas, Dr. Hughes received an A.B. degree from Washburn College, an A.M. from Columbia University, and an L.L.D. from Washburn Municipal University.

An active participant in school and community affairs, he has served as president and member of the Board of Directors of the Kansas State Teachers Association, as president of the State Junior College Association, as member of the State Board of Education, as president of the Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce, as chairman of the Educational Planning Commission of the Kansas State Teachers Association, as representative for the United States to the International Education Seminar in Paris in 1947, as member of the United States Commission for UNESCO, and as chairman of the Commission on Higher Education of the North Central Association.

President Elect of A.A.C.T.E.

Dr. Hughes is president elect of the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, and a member of the Horace Mann League of the United States of America, the Kansas Schoolmasters' Club, Kappa Delta Pi, and Kappa Sigma.

Roi S. Wood, president of Joplin Junior College, will introduce Dr. Hughes.

The invocation will be given by the Reverend Ralph Roland, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Following the address, Dr. Maurice L. Litton, dean of the College, will present the Class for graduation, and Mrs. O. T. Blanke, president of the Board of Education, will award the degrees.

Elizabeth Robards will play "Pomp and Circumstance" for



Dr. Rees Hughes

the processional hymn and the Junior College Male Ensemble will sing "John Peel" by Andrews and "Laydamus" by Protheroe.

Class of 1955

The prospective graduates are as follows:

Syl Gene Adkins, William Trimble Agan, Marcia Lee Aggus, Patricia Ann Alexander, James Lee Allan, Jane Ellen Baldrige, Don Oliver Baldwin, Bill Leon Ball, Julian Warren Barron, Eugene Barry, George Randall Bishir, Joan Boyd, Robert Milton Bretches, Walter Clarence Brill.

Billy Arron Brown, Jerry James Carr, Robert Scott Chamberlin, Orvel Lee Cooper, Shirley Sue Costley, Louis Allan Cowan, Betty Allene Cross, Eleanor Joanne Damer, Virginia Louise Deal, Patricia Lee Deatherage, Donna Diehl, Antone John Dobrauc, Larry Edward DuVall.

Demetry S. Elias, Frank Joe Espinosa, Jerry Earl Evans, Bobby Roy Foster, Rose Marie Gallemore, Charles Leonard Garde, Paul Dean Gatliff, Phill Edward Gerwert, John Thomas Gerwert, Myrna Lee Goode, Donald Ray Green, Doris Joan Hammack, Janice Fay Hargis, Jeannine May Hargis.

Donald Lee Henson, Howard Wayne Hogan, Patricia Lee Holland, John Robert Holmes, Ronald Edward Howard, William L. Hubbs, Dan Robert Jackson, Suzanne Kerr Jackson, Patricia Ann Jacobs, Mary Huffman James, Betty Jean Jarvis, Marie Jeffries, Ben Edwin Johnson, Loyda Jean Johnson.

Floyd Carl Jones, Marcia Ann Jones, John Merrill Junkins, Jr., Shirley Kirby, John David League, Jimmie Ray Lofton, Don Lundstrum, Wayne L. McChesney, Florence Ruth McKenney, Harold Manker, Ethel Marinellie, Joan Moon, Eddie Nealy, Nancy Nearing, William Nickell, III, Burnace Pence, Harry K. Riggs, Rex Rogers, Kay Roland, Stanley Roper, Helen Rosebrough.

William Ruede, Mary Jean Rutherford, Gerald Sappington, Roger Sherman, Edward Showalter, Ernest Smith, Ronald Smith, Beverly Jo Steele, Edwin Strong, Jr., John Tyler, Wylene Waggner, Emmett Wallace, Judith Wallace, Billy Joe Weaver, Donald Weston, Darlene Williams, Marion Arthur Wilson, and David Wiswall.

Thelma Shryock, William Southard, Robert Sutton, and John Wilson completed their work at the end of the first semester.

Rev. Arthur Depew Will Give Sermon At Baccalaureate Services on June 5

Joplin Junior College baccalaureate services will be conducted at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 5, in the College auditorium with the Reverend Arthur M. Depew, pastor of the First Christian Church, delivering the baccalaureate address, "All Things Are Yours."

Before coming to the First Christian Church two years ago, he had been pastor of churches in Tampa, West Palm Beach, and Jacksonville, Florida, and in Shreveport, Louisiana. Rev. Depew received his A. B. degree from Milligan College and his A.M. from Duke University. He was recently elected president of the Joplin Ministerial Alliance.

The Reverend Albert E. Schmeiser, pastor of the Bethany Presbyterian Church, will present the invocation and the benediction, and the Reverend E. Weldon Keckley, pastor of the First Community Church, will read the scripture.

Music will be provided by the College Choir under the direction of Oliver Sovereign. The Choir will sing "The Creation" by Richter, "How Lovely is Thy Dwelling Place" by Brahms, and "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" by Ein Feste Burg. For the processional and recessional marches Elizabeth Robards will play "Pomp and Circumstance" by Elgar.

Class Reception After Baccalaureate

The annual faculty reception for members of the graduating class, their parents and family will be held immediately following. The social committee, headed by Mrs. Lillian Spangler, requests that sophomores bring their guests to the College library as soon as baccalaureate activities are completed.



Rev. Arthur Depew

College and Community Offer Students Cultural Advantages

What educational and cultural advantages do Joplin Junior College and the community offer students outside of classroom work and organizations?

First of all, J.J.C. students have the opportunity to attend weekly assemblies. These assemblies are planned by a college student-faculty committee and are open to the public. Among the highlights on schedule this year were Leo Lania, a roving correspondent for World Nations Magazine, who spoke on "Today's World Problems;" K. A. MacKenzie, an experienced geologist, who demonstrated the "whys" of spectacular phenomena of our earth; and Dr. William J. Pinard, born in Africa, who delivered an enlightening talk on the importance of Africa to the world today.

The assembly programs have not only featured outstanding speakers but outstanding musicians as well. Concert violinist Robert Rudie presented a concert in which he used three violins including a Stradivarius. Opera tenor William McGrath sang before an attentive audience and afterward students were given a chance to interview him. The Frankel and Ryder team danced their way through a delightful and informative program in which they demonstrated the cre- ative dance.

Mrs. Jay L. Wilder, Joplin's impresario, has presented many outstanding programs on her "Concert Series" this year featuring such personalities as Yma Sumac, Jose Greco, the Columbus Boy's Choir and Henry Scott, piano-comedian. Mrs. Wilder affords many students the opportunity to see these presentations free of charge by serving as ushers.

Mrs. Wilder also has charge of the Travel and Adventure Club to which anyone can belong. It features beautiful, colored motion pictures of interesting countries of the world narrated by globe-trotting expert professional photographers. Illustrative of 1954-55 offerings are Kjordis Kittel Parker, a native of Norway, who presented a wonderful travelogue on that country, and Colonel John Craig, official photographer for the government during the war and for the atomic experiments in the South Pacific, who narrated "Danger Is My Business."

Joplin Junior College affords district artists and enthusiasts an opportunity to view art exhibits not only by students but by contemporary painters from all over the country. These exhibits, distributed by such studios as the Guild of West Redding, Connecticut, arrive about every three weeks.

These few reminders suggest the many worthwhile programs some of us have seen this year. Furthermore, they show that J.J.C. and the community are aware of the need for cultural and educational advancement outside the classroom and that both are working more and more toward those ends.

Editors Oversee As Top Freshman Chartists Plan To Begin 1955-56 Year With an Early Issue



Graduating editors of The Chart are helping next year's top staff members plan the 1955-56 issues. Present plans call for an issue to appear the first week of the fall semester, rather than the fourth.

Appearing in the photograph, left to right, are: Seated-Joan Boyd, graduating associate editor; Helen Barbee, staff assistant; Jean Johnson, graduating associate editor; and Judy Richters, Re-

Y.W.-Y.M. Groups Receive Thanks For W.U.S. Aid

Joplin Junior College
Joplin, Missouri
Dear Friends:

It was wonderful once again to receive such a notable gift to the World University Service this year. This letter is to acknowledge a check for \$50 sent to us through your Y.W.C.A. Treasurer.

It was a real thrill to me to have the opportunity to visit you all once again at the time of your drive and to see the ingenious ways in which you were raising your money. We are very proud of the manner in which the students and faculty members of Joplin Junior College are participating in the world program of the World University Service.

Once again your money will play an active role in helping to supply food, clothing, shelter, medical care and equipment, educational supplies, the handling of D P problems, and similar requirements of student life in less fortunate parts of the world. Your campus is registered on the international front throughout thirty-five nations, involving over seven hundred colleges and universities of this country as well.

I would like to remind you that the World University Service belongs to you and is your means of expressing your concern to the needs of others in foreign lands.

We are really proud of all the time and effort that was put into making this gift possible. I shall always remember the apples and the shoe shines when I think upon your campus in the years to come. You have done a fine job and we are exceedingly proud of you.

Sincerely,
Peyton Short,
Regional Secretary

Eta Chi Delegates Attend Phi Theta Kappa Convention in Houston



The Phi Theta Kappa delegation to the Houston convention appear, left to right, in the photograph: Miss Eula Ratekin, sponsor, LaDonna Wilson, Jack Armstrong, Ron Richardson, and Allan Kirch. The national meeting was held April 21 through April 23.

Kem Demonstrates Therapeutic Uses Of Piano and Organ

Johnny Kem, noted television artist in this area, presented a piano-organ program at an assembly Wednesday morning May 4, in the Joplin Junior College auditorium.

Kem discussed music therapy and illustrated the various sounds that can be reproduced to achieve desired effects. He concluded the program with popular selections.

Valeria Flesher Leaves for Wedding In Anchorage Alaska

Valeria Flesher will leave May 25 for Anchorage, Alaska, where she will be married to Airman Second Class Paul A. Nelson. The sophomore will go to Seattle, Washington, and then take a plane to Anchorage, where the wedding will take place June 5 in the chapel of Elmendorf Air Base.

Valeria is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flesher of Jasper. The groom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nelson of Pelican Rapids, Minnesota.

NOMA Test Taken By Students Aids In Securing Jobs

National business entrance tests, sponsored and distributed by the National Office Management Association, were administered to business students of Joplin Junior College and Joplin High School May 5 at the College.

The tests were taken to indicate the presence or absence of vocational ability on the part of the examinee. Those students receiving high ratings on the tests receive a National Business Entrance test Certificate of Proficiency. These certificates may be used to certify one's ability when applying for a job in the clerical field.

The following students took bookkeeping tests administered by Miss Dorothy Stone: Ralph Brock, Billy Johnson, Wayne McChesney, Betty Board, Donald Schaefer, Jim LePage, Sue McIntire, Beverly Swift, Bing Bush, Mitchell Gidden, and Jack Armstrong.

Pat Holland took the stenographic test administered by Miss Wilma Sullivan. Miss Vera Steinger was in charge of typewriting tests taken by Pat Holland and Pat Jacobs.



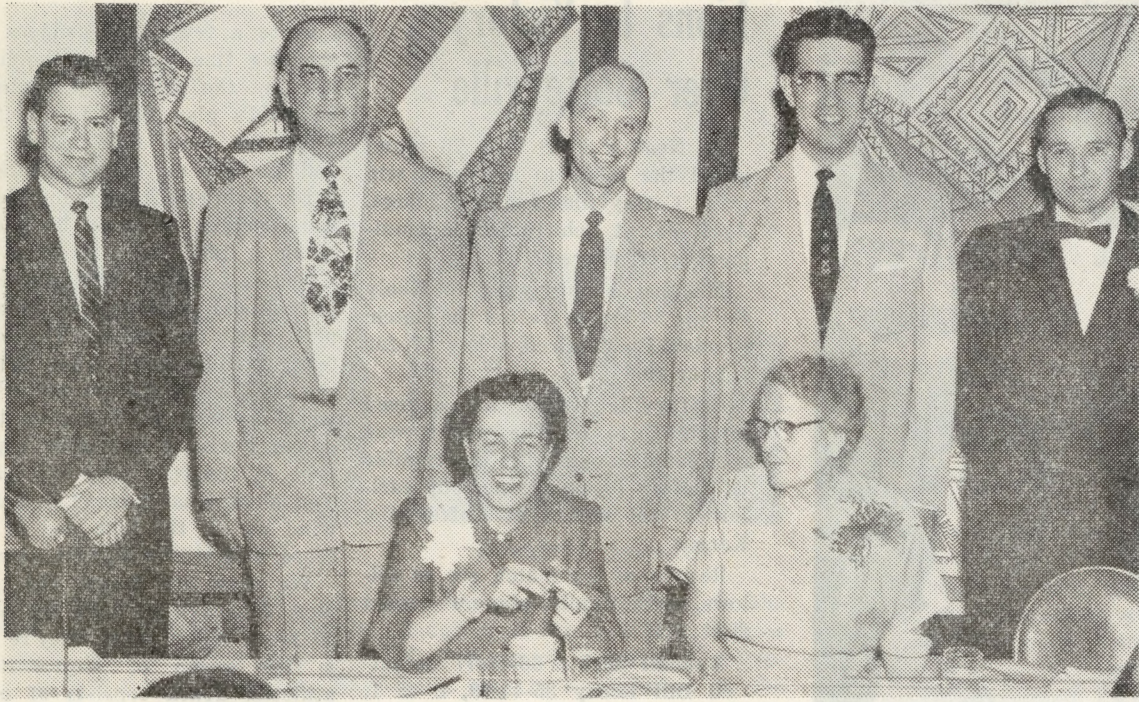
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Alumni and Students Honor Miss Drummond at Annual Banquet



(Courtesy of Globe)

Persons appearing on the Student-Alumni banquet program are pictured above. Seated at the right is Miss Edna Drummond, honored guest. Miss Friend, principal speaker, is on the left.

In the back row, left to right, are Bill Agan, Student Senate president, who gave a run-down of student activities; Roi S. Wood, president of the College; Dr. James Stephens, toastmaster and

retiring president of the Alumni Association; Dr. Tom Hill, vice president of the Alumni Association; and Dr. Maurice L. Litton, dean.

Commercial People Score High on Tests

Phyllis Brooks has passed the three-minute 120-word shorthand examination. She will take the five-minute test next week.

Phyllis McClary and Diane Goodhope have reached the 100-word level, which four students have passed this semester.

Sixteen of the 23 students have passed the 80-word certificate test. Camille Kimes, Barbara Juhnke, Carole Pence, and Sue McIntire have recently accomplished this.

Pat Holland received a 70-word-per-minute pin for writing ten minutes at a net rate of 70 words per minute. She made only two errors.

According to the rules of the Gregg Publishing Company, a student must write ten minutes on material sent out by the Company with five errors or less. Pat received this award because her paper was the best of fifteen sent in.

Several typing students have recently passed competency tests. Roger Amos was the highest with a gross of 61 words and 4 errors. Gene McKibben, 58 words and 5 errors; Phyllis Brooks, 51 words and 1 error; Marilyn Henry, 57 words and 4 errors; Camille Kimes, 57 words and 5 errors; Ann Hickam, 53 words and 4 errors; Beverly Coiner, 49 words and 1 error. Jeannine Hargis, 50 words and 4 errors; Doris Ham-mack, 49 words and 4 errors; Rebecca Mitchell, 48 words and 2 errors; and Jack Armstrong, 45 words and 3 errors.

Mrs. Keith Boore And William Brill To Teach in Joplin

Two alumni of Joplin Junior College were recently employed by the Joplin Board of Education for the 1955-56 school term. One was Mrs. Keith Boore (Kathleen McClanahan), a home economics major who has been teaching in Waynesville, where her husband is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood. When Kathleen was here, she was active in the Y.W.C.A., the Beta sorority, and the Teachers of Tomorrow.

William D. Brill, who graduated from the College in 1953, was the other former student employed May 3. Bill, who was prominent in Phi Theta Kappa and the Y.M.C.A. here, will graduate from the University of Missouri this year. He is a brother of Walter Brill, a sophomore.

Mr. Boore was also employed to teach in Joplin for the ensuing term.

Another third finger, left hand, has "the new look." Eloise Jackson is to be the bride of David Cooke. Eloise, who will graduate this spring, plans to teach this fall. David, a former J.J.C. student, is employed by Ozark Engineering. No date has been set for the wedding.

Merretts Praise Ozark Hospitality

Dear Mrs. Frazier,

... Our first thoughts, after settling down again, are for all the kindly people who helped to make our visit to the United States so happy...

We thoroughly enjoyed our visit with you and wish that it could have been of longer duration. As was the case wherever we went in Missouri, we felt that we were indeed among friends and I do not think that we have ever experienced such kindness and hospitality...

We expect to be pretty busy writing and broadcasting the story of our American travels but we both feel that anything which can be done to increase the friendship and understanding between your people and our people is well worth doing.

We have made up our minds that one visit to the United States is not enough - - and if we are able to come again, we shall again include Joplin.

Yours very sincerely,
(John Merrett)

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Dr. R. C. Parks Will Head Alumni Group

Alumni and students of Joplin Junior College surprised Miss Edna Drummond, botany, anatomy, and zoology instructor, by devoting the annual Student-Alumni banquet held Friday night, May 6, in the Empire room of the Connor Hotel, to her honor. The Dean of Women, who was named to the original faculty of the College, is retiring at the end of this school year.

Dorothy Friend, a 1940 graduate of the College and now an executive with KSWM-TV, built the principal talk of the program out of the fabric of Miss Drummond's life as an instructor at the College. Her speech was entitled "In and Out of Focus."

Dr. James Stephens, toastmaster and retiring president of the Alumni Association, presented Miss Drummond with a bound book of letters which had been sent to the Alumni Board secretly by former students. Alumni and students also presented her a television set.

Prior to the program, Dr. R.C. Parks of Carthage was named president of the Alumni Association. The Carthage dentist, who is a member of the 1948 Class of Joplin Junior College, graduated from the Kansas City School of Dentistry. Other new officers are Mrs. Suzanne Carter, vice-president; Miss Catherine Tyree, secretary-treasurer; and board members Miss Joan Moon, Wayne Carter, Mrs. Janie Ball, Kenneth Murphy, and Dr. James Stephens.

Three Receive Tulsa Scholarships

Three Joplin Junior College students have been awarded scholarships to the University of Tulsa in Tulsa, Oklahoma. They are Patricia Wimer (Anderson), Phil Gerwert, and David Wiswall.

The scholarships are to be applied toward tuition at the University. Mrs. Anderson received the largest, which is valued at \$350. Gerwert and Wiswall each received a \$200 scholarship.

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Tuesday - - 8:00 classes - - 5 hour classes, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. - - 3 hour classes, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. - - 2 hour classes, 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Wednesday - - 10:00 classes - - All classes - - 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Wednesday - - 1:00 classes - - 5 hour classes, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. - - 3 hour classes, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. - - 2 hour classes, 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Thursday - - 9:00 classes - - 5 hour classes, 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. - - 3 hour classes, 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. - - 2 hour classes, 11 a.m. to 12 a.m.

Thursday - - 2:00 classes - - 5 hour classes, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. - - 3 hour classes, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. - - NO SCHOOL FRIDAY JUNE 3

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THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Elizabeth Robards to Be 1955-56 Y.W. President

Elizabeth Robards was installed as president of the 1955-56 Y.W.C.A. Luncheon Club at the regular meeting last Tuesday. Other girls inducted into office for next year were vice-president, Elsie Fraizer; secretary, Ann Hickam; and treasurer, Jo Ann Williams.

Mothers of the Y.W.C.A. members were honored at the luncheon on May 3. Newly-elected officers planned the program which consisted of a candle-lighting service showing how comradeship, confidence, trust, patience, sympathy, and love help mothers and daughters to get along.

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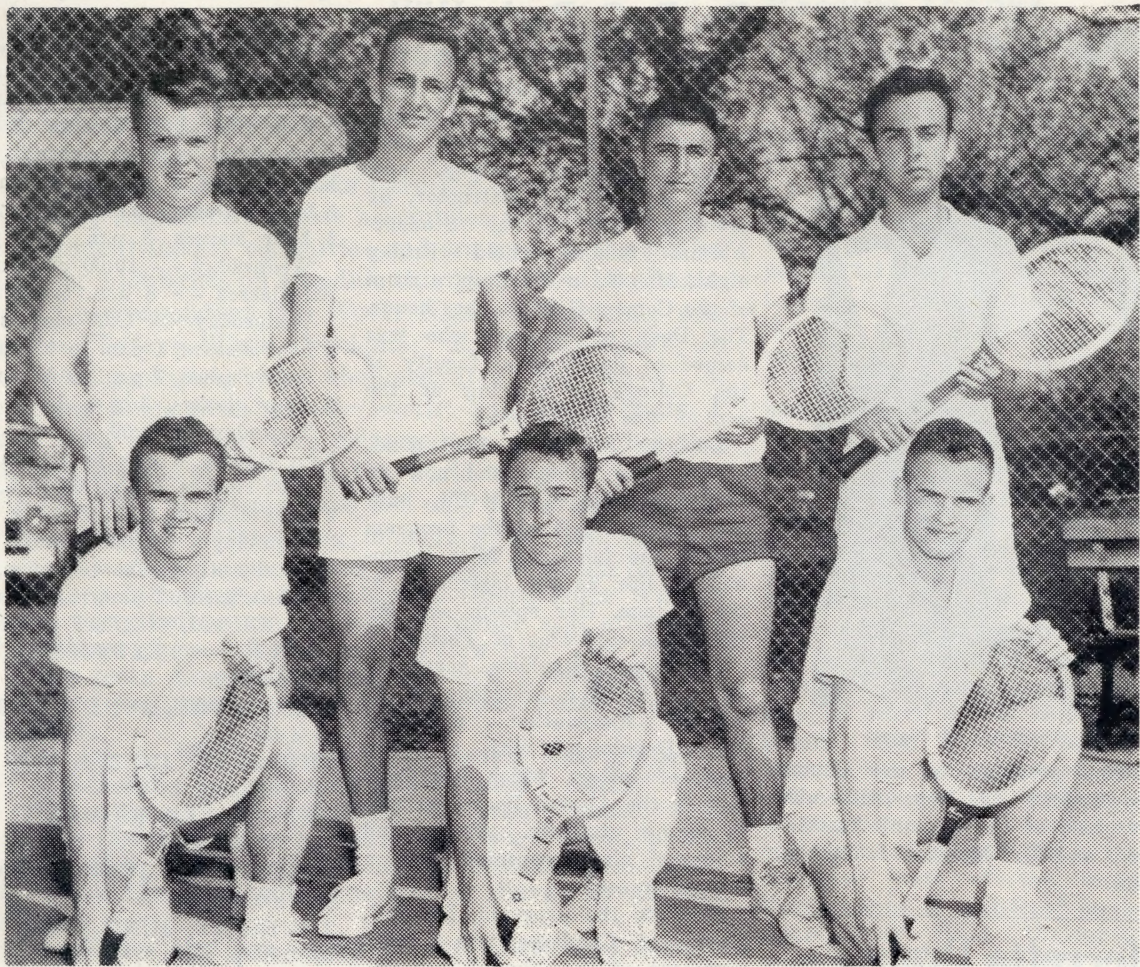
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Racqueteers Ready to Go for Coach Ball



Pictured, in their cool uniforms, are the seven members of the Joplin Junior College tennis team. They are, from left to right: Kneeling — Larry Pigg, Floyd Jones, and Garry Pigg. Standing— Wayne Hackney, Ed Hardin, Don Gardner, and Don Callahan.

Coach Ball's Net Squad Loses Match To Pittsburg 6-0

Coach Buddy Ball's tennis squad dropped a match to Pittsburg State College, 6 to 0, April 24, at Pittsburg, Kansas. The Lions lost all four singles events and both doubles matches. Results of the match are as follows, with Joplin players named first:

Don Callahan lost to Max Reck, 3-6, 6-4 and 0-6.

Don Gardner lost to Gary Widmer, 2-6 and 2-6.

Floyd Jones lost to Don Markquardt, 5-7 and 4-6.

Garry Pigg lost to Gene Seifert, 7-9 and 3-6.

Callahan and Gardner lost to Reck and Markquardt, 2-6 and 3-6.

Garry and Larry Pigg lost to Widmer and Seifert, 0-6 and 3-6.

Hillosopher's Corner

By Jackie Cox

Here in hillosopher's corner we always hate to see people leave, and most often those who are near and dear to us hate to leave. But there must be progress no matter what the feelings.

Often our friends never return. But we think back to pleasant moments. Thoughts go through our minds as to what our friends could be doing, where they are, and under what circumstances. Although we of hillosopher's corner don't believe in saying goodbye, we would like to say "So long" to the graduating class. We truly hope that you will look back upon us as your friends and upon the College as a pleasant sojourn of beautiful memories.

Garry Church Wins Medal At Juco State Track Meet

Garry Church, top dash man for the Lions, captured third honors in the 100-yard dash and second place in the 220-yard dash in the annual Missouri Juco state track and field meet at Wentworth Military Academy, April 28, in Lexington, Missouri.

Church received a medal for his splendid show at the meet. Bill Agan of the Lions finished fourth in the high hurdles.

Lions Lose Golf And Tennis Matches

For the second time in a row, Pittsburg State College varsity netters handed the Lions a 6-0 score, April 28, on the tennis courts of Landreth Park. However, Joplin evened the count as the Juco linksmen defeated Pittsburg the same day on the Schifferdecker golf course.

Randall Bishir, with a 36-38-74, was low man for Joplin, but a lower score prevented him from receiving medalist honors.

Golf

Randall Bishir 36-38-74 lost to Bob Jackson 35-36-71, 30 to 0. Ed Nealy 37-41-78 defeated Dick Brown 38-42-80, 3 to 0. Joe McKenzie 42-37-79 lost to Chuck Hays 35-37-72, 2½ to ½. Jim Carr 39-42-81 defeated Bob Sweet, 40-45-85, 3 to 0. Dewaine Biesner 42-43-85 tied with Spencer Carter 42-42-84, 1½ to 1½.

Tennis

Don Callahan lost to Gary Widmer, 0-6, 9-7, and 3-6. Don Gardner lost to Max Reck, 1-6 and 1-6. Floyd Jones lost to Don Markquardt, 4-6 and 4-6. Garry Pigg lost to Gene Seifert, 5-7 and 1-6. Garry and Larry Pigg lost to Markquardt and Reck 1-6 and 0-6. Callahan and Gardner lost to Widmer and Seifert, 4-6, 8-6 and 8-10.

Thirty College Athletes Journey To K.C. Ball Game

About thirty football and basketball athletes of the college attended a baseball game between the Kansas City Athletics and the New York Yankees, April 29, at Kansas City, Missouri.

Athletes, of the College, invited to make the trip were as follows:

Football - - Bill Agan, Bill Brown, Leroy Chapman, Garry Church, John Coatney, Drexel Harris, Joe Haughawout, Sig Hegwer, Ronnie Hutts, John Johnson, Jim Lofton, Jim Martin, Bill Repplinger, Gary Robb, Lee Schaffer, Don Steele, Shorty Stewart, Jim Sullivan, Artie Wilson, Don Lundstrum and Bill Ball.

Basketball - - Jim Allen, Frank Anderson, Jack Armstrong, Ralph Brock, Charley Haas, Dick Hammond, George Jackson, Eddie Nealy and Ronnie Richardson.

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Ed Nealy Paces Lions to Victory Over Coffeyville

Ed Nealy's 38-38 - - 76 round paced the Lions to a 6½-5½ win over Coffeyville Junior College, April 21, at Schifferdecker municipal golf course.

Medalist honors went to Nealy for his 76 low score for the match. Randall Bishir fired a low 77 for runner-up.

Coffeyville won a delayed match, 7 to 5. The match was completed, along with the regular tilt, after it was rained-out earlier in the season at Coffeyville, Kansas.

Results of the match are as follows, with Joplin players named first:

Randall Bishir 36-41-77 defeated Bill Reedy 35-44-79, 2 to 1.

Ed Nealy 38-38-76 defeated Odie Wilson 38-39-77, 2½ to ½.

Roger Amos 80 lost to Gene Careiso 78, 1 to 2.

Joe McKenzie 84 lost to Gene Keiter 83, 1 to 2.

J.J.C. Linksmen Drop Golf Match To Pittsburg 12-6

Pittsburg State College linksmen fired a 12-6 victory over the Lions, April 24, at Pittsburg.

Joe McKenzie posted the only Juco win as he circled the course with a 42-40-82 win over Pittsburg's Frank Ferson with 45-45-90, losing by a 3-0 margin.

Results of the match are as follows, with Joplin players named first.

Randall Bishir 41-43-84 lost to Bob Jackson 41-36-77, 2½ to ½.

Eddie Nealy 47-40-87 lost to Dick Brown 35-41-76, 2 to 1.

Joe McKenzie 42-40-82 defeated Frank Ferson 45-45-90, 30 to 0.

Dewaine Beisner 43-46-89 lost to Bob Sweet 43-44-87, 2½ to ½.

Bishir and Nealy lost to Jackson and Brown 3 to 0.

McKenzie and Beisner lost to Sweet and Ferson, 2 to 1.

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Sports Topics

By Jim Ellis

Quite a few rough-dodgers are shooting fine scores on the links. Keeping the scores low seems to be child's play for J.J.C. golfers. With the boys firing high 70's and low 80's maybe I can pick up a few pointers from them. Gee, I wonder what it would be like to break a 100.

The net squad isn't doing so bad either. Callahan and Gardner must know the rackets. The whole team is doing swell. They deserve the breaks for they've really been working hard at bettering their game. I wish I had more experience in tennis. I love the game. You know what I mean. I usually wind up on the love end of the score, which is a big fat zero.

We must not forget the track men. Although we have not heard so much about them, they're still a fine group of hard-working athletes. Track consists of many different sports, such as the dashes, the hurdles, broad and high jumps, shot put and pole-vault. There are many other types, too. It would be swell if more would go out for track. I would like to see Juco enter someone in each of the many track sports.

This about wraps up the sports package for the year and as I bid you, my readers, a fond adieu, might I remind you, athletics do not end with the school year. So have fun, take part in sports, and I'll see ya later.

Three Attend Kansas Meet

Three athletes journeyed to Independence, Kansas, April 20, to compete in a junior college track meet and the squad returned home with a tie for third and sixth places.

Richard Guppy tied for third in the high jump and Garry Church finished sixth in the 100-yard dash with a 10.5 performance. Jim Sullivan, who also made the trip, did not compete.

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